





Master Police Officer Michael Garbarino

Detective Vicky Armel

On May 8th, 2006, Master Police Officer Michael Garbarino and Detective Vicky Armel were tragically ambushed in the rear parking lot of the Sully District Station. Both on-duty and off-duty officers rushed to the scene. After a significant gun battle, the heavily armed suspect was fatally shot. These are the first Fairfax County Police Officers to be murdered in the line of duty. Both officers acted with tremendous valor, saving additional officers lives even after being mortally wounded. Each leaves a spouse and two children.

